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In re Application of: Beuther, et al. )  
Serial No: 10/735,287 )  
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Confirmation No: 9944 )  
Title: Method For Producing Soft Bulky Tissue )

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Dear Sir:

Prior to examination on the merits, please amend the above captioned application as follows:

**Amendments to the Specification** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 3 of this paper.